

# Weapons Safety

Carrying a weapon is a common denominator in everything we do as Soldiers on the battle field. The rifle is our primary weapon and we must be experts with our primary tool. Being an expert with a rifle is about more than just shooting, its about handling it Safely, efficiently, and precisely.

# WEAPONS SAFETY

1. HANDLE WEAPONS AS IF THEY ARE LOADED AT ALL TIMES! The following weapon handling rules always apply.
2. NEVER LET THE MUZZLE POINT AT ANYTHING YOU ARE NOT WILLING TO DESTROY.
3. KEEP YOUR FINGER STRAIGHT AND OFF THE TRIGGER UNTIL YOUR SIGHTS ARE ON TARGET! Once you have determined that it is a threat, decided to engage, and have the weapon pointed at the threat, then you may place your finger on the trigger.
4. BE SURE OF YOUR TARGET! Know what it is, what is in line with it, what is in front and what is behind it. Never shoot at anything you have not positively identified.



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5. Properly clear the weapon and lock the action to the rear before handing the weapon to another person.
6. Long weapons will always be on safe and safe guarded when off target.
7. All weapons malfunctions will be cleared using the appropriate technique taught for the situation you encountered. Follow the first four rules.

**Bottom line** : if you can't handle your weapon safely you shouldn't be handling a weapon.



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